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In re Patent Application of: Burdett, Gregory; Mistry, Nalin; Fung, Bryant;
Serial No. : 10/774638 Group Art Unit: 2132

Filed : July 2, 2002 Examiner : Herring, Virgil A.

For : Method and Apparatus for Accelerating CPE-based VPN
Transmissions Over a Wireless Network

Date : October 19, 2006 Docket No. : 08894984US

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
WASHINGTON, D.C.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 20231

First Reply to Final Office Action

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are a First Reply in response to the Final Office Action mailed August 22, 2006, in the above-referenced case. This First Reply is filed within the two-month period from the mailing date of the Final Office Action. Applicant requests an Advisory Action pursuant to the provision of MPEP 706.07(f)(D).

The Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified patent application be amended as follows.

Amendment

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this Amendment.